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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for an one (1) month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed October 27, 2009 for which a three (3) month response period expiring on January 27, 2010 was set. The extended period expires effectively on March 1, 2010 (February 27, 2010 is a Saturday).

Please charge the extension fee of \$ **130.00** for an one (1) month extension of time to Deposit Account 11-0600. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account 11-0600. A copy of this Petition is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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